

**THE "GLOBE" EXHIBITION.**—Mr. Wyld has added to his geographical emporium in Leicester-square a model of the Arctic Regions, to which both here and in America public attention is now directed in a super-eminent degree. The model shows very clearly all that is known on the subject, and more; and at this moment, when the expedition in search of Sir John Franklin is about to start under the command of Sir Edward Belcher, will doubtless attract attention. The model of the Globe has been much improved since our first visit, by references to the various places, and a lecture is delivered at different times in the day by Mr. Malcolm, who was at the Western Literary Institution. We followed Mr. Malcolm through his address the other day, and can justly say we found both pleasure and instruction in it.

**PERILOUS STATE OF ANOTHER RESERVOIR AT HOLMFIRTH.**—A public meeting has been held at Holmfirth as to the danger to be dreaded from the access of rain to the Holme Styes Reservoir, which commands a deep and narrow valley, or gorge, thickly inhabited and built on like that in which the recent catastrophe took place. The inhabitants are now tremblingly alive to the risk they run while this reservoir remains under such totally irresponsible control as that which recklessly led to the late destruction of life and property. They have resolved to petition parliament to take immediate steps to avert future danger and to make the commissioners responsible in law as they are in fact. Those connected with the reservoir which burst, we are now told, blame themselves as much as the public blame them, —an acknowledgment of guilt, indeed, which well merits something more than official suspension, but a poor consolation either to the surviving relatives of the sufferers or to those thrown out of employment or deprived of their property by this official and personal misconduct.

**ART-MANUFACTURERS' INSTITUTE.**—A meeting for the promotion of the object of the Art-Manufacturers' Institute was lately held at Bradford. Although upwards of 200 circulars had been issued, and a copy forwarded to every manufacturer in the town, the meeting was very thinly attended. The opinion of those present appeared to incline in favour of co-operating with the mechanics' institute for the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the existing school. It appeared that at Halifax, where the movement commenced later than at Bradford, a school of design was already established, and in active operation. It was decided that Mr. Cole should be written to.

**KILKENNY ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.**—The *Kilkenny Moderator*, which often devotes a liberal share of its columns to archaeological subjects, gives, on 10th inst. an interesting report of the March meeting of the very active local Archaeological Society; Major-General McDonald, C.B. in the chair. Lord Clermont, the Hon. F. Ponsonby, and a long list of other gentlemen, were elected members; some donations made to the museum and the library; antiquities exhibited; and papers read,—on the Ogham inscription at Tullowhern, on Kilkenny Castle at the period of the late alterations, on a Pagan cemetery at Rathmoyle, on Finian traditions connected with Lough Cuillean, on preserving ancient monumental inscriptions, and contributing some under the title of "Churchyard Gleanings," and on the tomb of Sir Daniel Byrne, in the church of Timogue, Queen's County. The meeting then adjourned to the first Saturday in May.

**SLATE DRESSING.**—Mr. T. B. Jordan, of Belvedere-road, engineer, has patented some improvements in machinery for cutting, dressing, planing, and otherwise working slate, and also for framing and setting the same. The inventor makes seven separate claims—for parting, cutting, shaping, dressing, and framing slates.

**METROPOLITAN WATER SUPPLY.**—It appears from a reply by Mr. Walpole, the Home Secretary, made to a question by Mr. T. Duncombe in the Commons, that there is little hope of anything being done towards the better supply of the metropolis with water during the present session of Parliament.

**GREAT EXHIBITION BUILDING.**—An announcement, for which our readers must have been long prepared, has been made by Lord John Manners in the Commons, to the effect that the arrangement that necessitates the removal of the building on 1st May will not be interfered with.

**THE DIGNITY AND CLAIMS OF LABOUR.**—A series of lectures on this important subject is in course of delivery by the Rev. J. Spence, at Preston. The local *Guardian* of 13th inst. has a full report of the second lecture of the series on "The Difficulties and Temptations of the Working Classes."

#### TENDERS

For the erection of a banking-house for Messrs. Johnston and Co. in New Cannon-street, London. Mr. Geo. Legg, Architect. Quantities were supplied.

Messrs. Piper	£2,991
Curtis	2,943
Cubitt	2,981
Haward and Nixon	2,977
Lawrence	2,922
Myers (accepted)	2,988

#### TO CORRESPONDENTS.

"Mr. L." "M. and Co." "W. W." (not our practice). "M. O." (ditto). "P." (ditto). "J. B." Albany-road (complaints of the conduct of one who advertised in our columns for assistance. We may regret it, but cannot interfere). "E. R. B." "S. H." "G. H. D." (we will endeavour to see it). "G. W." "G. T." "C. and Co." "Subscriber to *THE BUILDERS*." "C. C. N." "B. and B." "G. J." "J. P. W." "Dr. R." "J. P." "R. A." "M. L." (the medals at the Royal Academy are confined to students). "H. M." "C. H." "W. A." "J. T." "I. C." "T. B. L." "As Unfortunate" (inquire at Artisans' School, Carleton Town). "J. B." "A Subscriber" (effect of time on the stone would not account for regularity of deviation). "T. T." (how long have the courts been finished?). "C. H."

"Books and Addresses."—We have not time to point out books or find addresses.

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#### ADVERTISEMENTS.

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**JOHN HARRIS KNIGHT, R.A. Secretary.** Every possible care will be taken of works sent for exhibition; but the Royal Academy will not hold itself accountable in any case of injury or loss, nor can it undertake to pay the carriage of any packages which may be forwarded by carriers. The prices of works to be disposed of may be communicated to the Secretary.

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#### TO TRAVELLERS.

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**PARTNERSHIP or otherwise.**—A Civil Engineer, having established a business in a particular branch of the profession, in which there is no competition, REQUIRES immediately a GENTLEMAN with capital to co-operate with him. A gentleman to contribute with the latter can be obtained on personal or written application at my office. Candidates are requested to forward written applications and testimonials addressed to me, on or before WEDNESDAY, the 15th March, 1862.

**TOWN OF BRIGHTON.—TO ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS.**—The commissioners acting under the Brighton Town Act give notice that they are about to appoint a SURVEYOR at a salary of £200 per annum, with an allowance for an assistant clerk. Particulars to be obtained on personal or written application at my office. Candidates are requested to forward written applications and testimonials addressed to me, on or before WEDNESDAY, the 15th March, 1862.

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